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see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b). Incorporation By Reference (usable if Box 3b is checked) The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a

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Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documentation) 5. <u>X</u> Siemens Aktiengesellschaft

Letter under 37 CFR 1.41(c). 6.

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Small Entity Statement(s)

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